FISCAL NOTE

SB 3002 - HB 3181

March 6, 2002

SUMMARY OF BILL: Specifies that any person who contributes to a company fund of the Tennessee National Guard in an amount to be determined by the commander in chief shall be known as a patron of the National Guard. Under current law, patrons are identified as those who have contributed at least \$10. Specifies that a member of the National Guard in drill or duty status who operates a vehicle while under the influence of an intoxicant, marijuana, narcotic drug or stimulant or with a blood alcohol concentration of .10% or more is punishable in accordance with the state's D.U.I. law. Current law provides that any member of the National Guard who operates a vehicle while drunk or in a reckless or wanton manner is guilty of a misdemeanor.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Revenues - Not Significant

Increase Local Govt. Revenues - Not Significant Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant

Estimate assumes:

- as D.U.I. offenses require mandatory minimum jail terms local governments will experience an increase in expenditures to confine offenders convicted under the provisions of the bill. This increase is estimated to be not significant.
- an increase in revenues from fines levied and collected under the provisions of the bill. This increase is estimated to be not significant.
- an increase in state revenues from driver license reinstatement fees from offenders whose licenses are suspended in accordance with existing D.U.I. laws. This increase is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director